

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

Attorney's Docket No.

032498-010

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CALIBRATION APPARATUS FOR MULTI-CHANNEL PIPETTES, INCLUDING A TRANSPORT DEVICE
FOR RECEPTACLES

the specification of which

(check one) ☒ is attached hereto;

☐ was filed on _____ as

Application No. _____

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(if applicable)

I HAVE REVIEWED AND UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED SPECIFICATION, INCLUDING THE CLAIMS, AS AMENDED BY ANY AMENDMENT REFERRED TO ABOVE;

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